

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

The airwaves ought to belong to all of us, not be monopolized by a few. It behooves the FCC to keep this in mind, and resist further concentration. Cutting off access to media by people with divergent views, as is happening far too much already, undermines genuine democracy as intended by framers of the First Amendment to the US Constitution.